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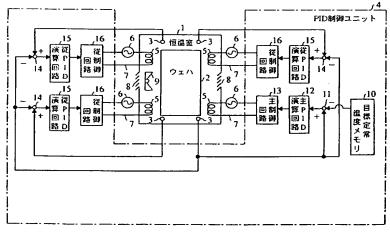
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(57) Abstract: A control system and a controller for controlling the wafer temperature suitably in the production process of a semiconductor device wherein overshoot or undershoot can be suppressed effectively after a desired steady temperature is reached by dividing the controlled system into a plurality of zones, controlling the zones separately, and making simultaneous the timings of reaching the desired steady temperatures by the primary control.

1...THERMOSTATIC CHAMBER

2...WAFER

4...PID CONTROL UNIT

10...DESIRED STEADY TEMPERATURE MEMORY

12...MAIN PID OPERATING CIRCUIT

13...MAIN CONTROL CIRCUIT

15...SUB-PID OPERATING CIRCUIT

16...SUBCONTROL CIRCUIT

(57) 要約:

制御対象を複数のゾーンに分けてゾーン毎に制御しつつ、本来の制御によって目標定常温度への到達タイミングを揃え、目標定常温度に到達した後におけるオーバシュートやアンダーシュートの発生を効果的に抑制することができ、半導体素子を製造するプロセスにおいてウエハの温度を好適に制御することができる。

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